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SUBJECT: PRESS VISITS

REF: A. TEL AVIV 5814 (NOTAL), B. TEL AVIV 5815 (NOTAL),
C. STATE 205485, D. STATE 207921, E. CAIRO 11127

1. TWO WEEKS AGO I APPROVED VISIT BY DONALD NEFF, TIME-
LIFE BUREAU CHIEF, WITH CREW OF TWO ON AUG 30 FOR UPDATE
COVERAGE OF SFM KEYED TO FIRST ANNIVERSARY GENEVA AGREEMENT.
THEY TELL ME THIS COVERAGE SHOULD APPEAR IN TIME MAG MID-SEPT.

2. STERN MAGAZINE (GERMAN) HAS MADE SECOND REQUEST TO VISIT
SFM DURING FIRST WEEK SEPT. DO NOT PLAN TO APPROVE THIS
AT THIS TIME. WILL REVIEW REQUEST LATER.

3. REF A INDICATES THAT UPI BUREAU MANAGER STEWART KELLERMAN
AND PHOTOGRAPHER REQUEST VISIT SFM ON AUG 31 TO DO STORY
AROUND GENEVA AGREEMENT ANNIVERSARY.

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4. REF B INDICATES THAT NBC REP STEVE DELANEY REQUESTS

PERMISSION TO VISIT SFM WITH TV CREW ON AUG 31 AND I UNDERSTAND
THIS IS FOR THE SAME PURPOSE AS UPI.

5. TIME-LIFE COVERAGE WILL OF COURSE NOT APPEAR IMMEDIATELY.
I DOUBT THAT NBC COVERAGE WILL PRESENT A PROBLEM. UPI
COVERAGE, HOWEVER, WILL PROBABLY APPEAR IN MIDDLE EAST MEDIA
AND MAY POSE PROBLEMS SUCH AS ENVISAGED IN REF E.

6. IT APPEARS TO ME PARTICULARLY NECESSARY NOW TO CONTINUE TO
MAINTAIN LOW PRESS PROFILE IN VIEW REF E. IN VIEW OF
GUIDANCE IN REFS C AND D REQUEST INSTRUCTIONS CONCERNING
REQUESTED PRESS VISITS OUTLINED PARAS 3 AND 4 ABOVE.
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